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## CONFIDENCE FROM INVERCARGILL!

"Please find enclosed a U.S. Ten Dollar Bill for 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  years' subscription to the NRC. I managed to purchase this bill from a local pawn broker so my annual scrounge for dollars won't need to take place for a while now.

"I hope that this uneven amount will not cause you any trouble and that you will be able to renew my sub for the 2t years OK.

-Eric McIntosh - 240 George Street - Invercargill, New Zealand

## N R C D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	E.S.T.	Stations' Time
Feb. 18	K Y T E	1290	Pocatello, Idaho	1,000	3:01 - 3:30 a.m.	12:01 PST
	C H R S	1090	Saint Jean, Quebec	1,000	4:00 - 4:30 a.m.	4:00 EST
20	W J O E	1570	Ward Ridge, Florida	250	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.	2:00 CST
25	K A R Y	1310	Prosser, Washington	1,000	3:01 - 3:30 a.m.	12:01 PST
	K D B M	800	Dillon, Montana	1,000	3:00 - 3:30 a.m.	1:00 MST
	W K L M	790	Wilmington, North Carolina	500	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.	3:30 EST
	W H O O	1490	Milford, Mass. (tentative)	100	4:00 - 4:30 a.m.	4:00 EST
	C F G R	1230	Gravelbourg, Saskatchewan	250	4:00 - 5:00 a.m.	2:00 MST
	W S P N	900	Saratoga Springs, New York	250	4:30 - 5:00 a.m.	4:30 EST
26	W E H D	1380	Baton Rouge, Louisiana	500	3:00 - 3:30 a.m.	2:00 CST
	W I V V	1370	Isle de Vieques, P.R.	1,000	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.	4:30 AST
Mar. 4	W F S T	600	Caribou, Maine	1,000	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.	3:30 EST
10	W P E E	1540	Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania	1,000	3:00 - 5:00 a.m.	3:00 EST
17	W E S O	970	Southbridge, Massachusetts	500	6:00 - 6:30 a.m.	6:00 EST
18	W G B B	1240	Freeport, L.I., New York	250	3:00 - 5:00 a.m.	3:00 EST
Feb 18	WJRD	1150	Tuscaloosa, Alabama	1,000	4:00-5:00 A.M.	3:00CST

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Feb. 11	W D U X	800	Waupaca, Wisconsin	250	3:00 - 3:30 a.m.	2:00 CST
15	K N G S	620	Hanford, California	1,000	3:01 - 4:00 a.m.	12:01 PST
18	C H E X	1430	Peterborough, Ontario	1,000	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.	3:30 EST
	K D L M	1340	Detroit Lakes, Minnesota	250	4:00 - 5:00 a.m.	3:00 CST
19	K G N B	1420	New Braunfels, Texas	500	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.	2:00 CST
	K S F A	860	Nacogdoches, Texas	250	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.	2:30 CST
22	W H L M	550	Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania	1,000	4:00 - 5:30 a.m.	4:00 EST
25	K M U S	1380	Muskogee, Oklahoma	1,000	4:30 - 5:30 a.m.	3:30 CST
Mar. 19	K N U J	860	New Ulm, Minnesota	250	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.	2:00 CST
23	K W R E	730	Warrenton, Missouri	500	4:00 - 5:00 a.m.	3:00 CST
25	W H F S	1260	Chattanooga, Tennessee	1,000	4:00 - 5:00 a.m.	4:00 EST

C H R S - 1090 - St. Jean, Quebec. Bernard Turcot, General Manager.

Just in at press time (we do Page 1 last) is this Test from CHRS. About two months old, this station has as yet been heard but by scant few DXers and 1090 should be wide open at this hour so that all might have a real chance to make this logging. We expect some of that fine French Canadian music, and probably bi-lingual announcements. We hope that all members will be successful in their quest for CHRS! LEN KRUSE

VERIE SIGNERS

560	C J K L	Cy Spence, CE	A	1230	W B L E	Harold B. McCarley	E
580	K A L B	Robert E. Miller, CE	E	1300	W E R E	Harry Dennis, CE	D
620	W D N C	C. Roy King, CE	E	1340	W WcP G	C. Walkden	E
690	W E L D	Kimberley Johnson, M	DH	1350	WAA V Y	Jösepp W. Ritacco	B
730	W P I T	Don Ioset, Ct, VP	C		K C O R	Marvin L. Fielder, CE	D
790	W PqI C	A. G. Fleck	C	1370	W S A Y	John Hill, D	C
	K A B C	Jack Meyers, PD	E	1390	W C S C	U. G. Knight, CE	E
830	K I K I	Mrs. Gladys Unasco	EDpt B	1400	W EcS T	H. L. Eckenrode, COp	A
850	W I L D	William Burns, PD	E		K DptA	D. E. Towne, M	B
860	W HfR T	Gene Newman, P	EH	1450	W HqL S	Harold E. Oliver, CE	C
910	X E A O	Delia G. Lara, Adm.	B		K S I W	Harry McFarland, CE	D
	W J H L	Rowland Medler, CE	D	1460	K D O N	Ower N. Wright, CE	D
980	K M I N	Harold Cook, M	CF		W P V L	Carà R. Lee, M	C
	W D V H	T. R. Hanssen, CoO	E	1470	K W R D	Wes Dean, GM	DH
990	K TpR M	Roy Shotts, M	E		W SqA N	Revel H. Musselman, TS	E
	W A B O	Nathan L. Shoemaker, A	G		W K L Z	Ralph E. Patterson, M, CE	C
1030	K AqT R	Paul H. Waller, CE	D		K G H M	C. W. Peck, M	D
1050	K A N V	Carl Goulden, CE	C	1480	W KqO A	M. B. Wilson, CE	D
1080	W K L O	W. J. Faulkner, CE	B	1490	W B F C	Richard O. Carter, CE	C
1090	C H R S	Bernard Turcot, GM	A		W L D L	Rogers L.D. Mattice ExecAst	D
1100	K Y W	S. V. Stadig, CE	E	1510	W LqA C	F. D. Bims, CE	D
1150	K SqA L	A. Thompson, PD	D	1540	W L O I	B. L. Munson, CE	D
1160	W J J D	W. I. Myers, CE	D	1550	K E N T	L. J. Carlson, CE	E
1210	W C A U	Robert N. Pryor, D, Prom	D	1570	K L L A	B. R. Stokes, CE	E
1220	W L P O	Lawrence McCann, CE	D		W J O E	Martin Begley, M	H
	W C L B	Russell A. Browne	C	1580	W W X L	Clifford Spurlock, O	H
1250	W DcV A	H. D. Clendenen, CE	E		K L T R	Dr. Lawrence V. Eck, M	B
1280	W D S P	John Dungen Jr., CE	C		W L B A	Ernest H. Reynolds, Jr.	C
	W H V R	Philip A. Rohrbaugh, CE	C	1600	W BfL Y	Carl Egbert, CE	C
1290	C K S L	R. Turnpenney	B		W S T L	Paul D. Milby, CE	D

C R E D I T S

A - H. Williams      C - (unsigned)      E - P. Taylor      G - R. Edge  
 B - Ev Johnson      D - G. De Leurere      F - S. Rosenbaum      H - E. Cooper

D X T E S T S T H I S W E E K

K Y T E - 1290 - Pocatello, Idaho, 2/18, 3:00-3:30 EST

JERRY FENNELL, MANAGER

Here is a brand new station that just about every member lacks in his log. The channel is expected to be completely clear in the U.S.A. and Canada for this special test, and that means that just about all of us will have a good chance of making this fine new logging. We do not have the information as to what type of program material will be used during this test, but we can expect frequent station identifications throughout the half-hour test period. Our thanks go out to Mr. Fennell for his courtesy in notifying us of this special test, and we hope KYTE gets out well. FRANCIS MITTLER

W J O E - 1570 - Ward Ridge, Florida, 2/20, 3:00-4:00 EST

MARTIN BEGLEY, MANAGER

In spite of the fact that big XERF is on this channel every morning, WJOE has had some fine results with their frequency checks and with their early-morning program at 5:45 a.m., so we feel that on this test, they will do well against XERF again. We hope so, for this is a particularly friendly station and they want to hear from all DXers on this test. The first 45 minutes of test precedes their 3:45-4 frequency check. The correct mailing address for WJOE is not to Ward Ridge, but: P.O. Box 996 - Port St. Joe, Florida. Ward Ridge has no Post Office as yet, being a new community. STAN MORSS

FUTURE DX NEWS DEDICATIONS

February 16 - Ohio and West Virginia      March 9 - Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin  
 February 23 - New England states      March 16 - The South, West of Miss. River  
 March 2 - The South, E. of Miss. River      March 23 - Canada  
 And April 5, to all our members from overseas. Let's hear from all our members now!

Bus Boatman - 837 Brooke Lane - Stillwater, Oklahoma

Twenty-eight new stations logged since last report. They are: On 12/31/56 KOLD WINN KQUE WNOR WJGR WHIO WDVA WHKK WILD WHNY and WKOZ all on RS; CBO-dx weak but report sent. KLY-910, Oakland, Cal. on f/c at 2:45, WBBN-dx bothered by KFWB, WJNO-dx last five minutes before WEAR back on (Thanks, Marv Robbins), WARA-850 Aguadilla, P.R. s/on at 4:00 CST for first Puerto Rican, WCAE-1250 Pittsburgh, Pa. s/on at 4:45, WQXI-790 Atlanta s/on 5:00, WSGW-790, Saginaw, Mich. s/on 5:00, KTRY-730, Bastrop, La. son at 5:02. On 1/12, KPDQ-dx very weak, only one ID heard. 1/13- WQOK-1440 Greenville, S. C. heard on RS, WKOA NNRC DX good, WLOX-1490 Biloxi, Miss. on RS. None of the 1/14 DXes logged but KOYN-910 Billings, Mont. on f/c per list, was. On 1/17 WNAX-570 Yankton, S.D. heard at 7:15 on RS for second South Dakotan. Got up at 6:00 on 1/18 and took loggings on KTBB Tyler, Tex. and WREC Memphis, Tenn. at 6 on 600 kc/s., WRFD-880 Worthington, Ohio and WKOW-1070, Madison, Wis. on RS. All times above are CST. Veries are KCLV f/up WQOK WNAX WKOA-NNRC WDVA WJNO-dx WNOR (all these were cards) KHAM KNED KLIC WEMP WZOB NNRC KLOS KTEY KAKC WRNL KQUE WILD WINN WCAE WERE WWSW WKKK KLTR CBO-dx KLX (airmail) KTBB WKOW WABA (first Puerto Rican verie) KBYE, and last but not least WRFD. Only eight DXes have been heard this year with four veried. I now have about 320 BCB veries and 24 SWLs. That's it from here. 73.

Dick Northrup - 507 1/2 Kimball Road - Iowa City, Iowa

A moderate amount of DXing at this den has brought in a number of new catches including a fair share of the Specials during January. Veries have been coming in well too for once, with my total now at an even 100 for season. Since last report, veries have arrived from WDMF XHEM-dx WBFC CKDM-dx WHBN-dx WMFS WHVR-dx KLEC WCLB WLBA WELY UP IT KMIN WDSP WSAY MANV WRCD-dx KUVR WKOA-dx WHRT-dx CBO-dx CKSL WPVL WPIC CKOT-dx CBAF-dx VMAG KQUE WHLS and WKLZ. Wrote about \$5 f/ups with about 2/3 of them paying off so far. 1/9- Test from WOKO heard at end at 2:20 and then ET from WFLR, 1570 2:50-2:57 back of XERF of course. DX from KPDQ, 800 kc/s., heard quite well on 1/12 with plenty for a report. Then WNCA, 1570, Siler City, N.C. heard on their s/on at 6:00 with XEIE and CFOR QRM. This has been a terrific year for me on 1570 and hope it keeps up. 1/13- WKLZ heard on special ET 3:20-3:26 with vocal IDs only. Then XEBG heard at 4:30 with plugs for the Foreign Club and Bar in Tijuana on 1550 kc/s. with QRM from KENT, Shreveport. NNRC Special from KEVE 1400 was very strong here at 4:00. Drew a blank on the two Specials on 1/14. Neither WFST on 600 nor KAAA on 1230 could be heard here. See that KAAA was on but that WFST evidently was not. 1/15- KLUV, 1580, probably was not on. WHRT, 860, like a local however, and on 1/16 WWXL made it in nicely. 1/17- KLEC on 1480 failed to show. Not needed, however. Overslept WHIR on 1/21. Needed, too. WEMP not needed. WMOO hopeless with KTOP banging in. Nothing new until 1/19 which provided two new ones, both in quick succession. WBCU was first with s/on at 5:30 and then WMAN at 5:57. Was trying for WPON which I was unable to hear. 1/26- WSPN Special on 900 very strong and then f/c from KVOM on 800 as listed. WHLS, 1450, heard at 5:00 s/on, 1/28. WICO, 1320, fairly well heard here and a tentative has been sent to CFCW, 1230, Camrose, Alta. Good chance that I didn't have them, but heard station playing "The Queen" several times at time of their supposed s/on. 1/29- WALY Special very poorly heard here with heavy QRM from the Cuban on 1420. Best DX to all.

G. Harley DeLeurere - 1 East 8 Street - Mounted Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

DX and veries by dateline for the last week. 1/25- WLPO-1220, La Salle, Ill. from 3:40-4:10 p.m. A letter from WCAU-2210, Philadelphia 31, Pa. 1/26: KNCO-1050, Garden City, Kans. on RS from 7:45-8:05 a.m. with some XEG QRM. Two letters from WSTL-1600, Eminence, Ky. and WLDL-1490, La Crosse, Wis. Also a QSL card from WJJD-1160, Chicago 1, Ill. for Chicago #1. 1/27: WHVR-1280, Hanover, Pa. from s/on at 7:00 until 7:05. 1/28: No DXing. Three letters fro, KDON-1460, Salinas, Cal., WJHL-910, Johnson City, Tenn. and KTOE-1420, Mankato, Minn. 1/29: WALY-1420, Herkimer, N.Y. on NRC DX from 4:10-4:20. One letter from WLOI-1540, La Porte, Ind. 1/30: WETO-930, Gadsden, Ala. on RS from 5:30-5:35 a.m. WNVA-1250, Norton, Va. through WADC from 5:35-5:55 with flood information. Two letters from WLPO-1220, La Salle, Ill. and WERE-1300, Cleveland 15, Ohio. 1/31: CKY-580, Winnipeg, Man. on AN from 4-4:15 with some CKRY QRM. WSAT-1280, Salisbury, N.C. from 4:25-4:30. Letters from KSIW-1450, Woodward, Okla. for 4th Tuesday r/c; KWRD-1470, Henderson, Tex. for DX, KTRN-1290, Wichita Falls, Tex. a card; WELD-690, Fisher, W. Va., postmarked Petersburg, W. Va. for their DX and KCOR-1360, San Antonio, airmail. I am sending v/s for last two weeks. 73s.

P. Van Voorhees Taylor - 5315 Ordura Drive - Coral Gables 46, Florida

For the information of those who have written, I might as well get in on this "hidden name" business too! Right, Fred Van Voorhees and I are distant cousins. Amos, DX-ing. 1/26- Got the hots for foreign DX, so logged PJA-5 4WV YVKS and "La Voz de Reeleccion" on 1127 kc/s. Borrowed my mother's portable which seems to do OK picking up some of the split LA frequencies. 1/27- KPAC-1250 RS 12:48-1; KOGT-1600 MD till 1:23 (Bernie Duffy, this your 1600 MD station?); KTSM-1380 at s/off 1:30 with KWK behind; WFOR-1400 TT 1:40-1:45; KAKC-970 AN 2:30-2:50; WORZ-740 Collins 5 kv. transmitter ET 3 a.m., carrying "Monitor"; let a WRCA station break slip through - sure fooled me for a while! LA-1600 "logged" for kicks. Finally, WTAB-1370 ET 3:06. On 1/28- KTBS-710 RS 12:46-11 KFLD-900 f/c per list 1:15; XELG-680 1:35-1:55 with KNEC behind; KEENS-630 ETing with occasional music and tone all AM; KCHS-1400 r/c 3:00; KRAM-920 RS 2:49-3 with Costa Rica, KQUE not helping much (KQUE has no silent period), hoping for my first verie from my last state, Nevada, on this. WICO-1320 DX really weak with Guy Lombago music. ETer on 1320, on top of WICO, till 4:23. ZFY-660 good signal 4:45-5; and finally, PJA-10, 665, in clear and good 5:33-3:10. ZFY good every Monday morning till WRCA s/on. Veries, WCSC KYW WSAW WMAQ WLDS KALB KTRM WELR KENT WHRT WGM. DXing over for a while, as am reporting to Cape May, N.J. on February 6, and then to New London, Conn. Coast Guard OCS on 2/28. Maybe get some TAs from New London! 73s to all. (Anchors Aweigh, "Van" and let's hear from you soon! -Ed.)

Joe Brauner - P.O. Box 22 - Valier, Pennsylvania

DX has been more or less at a standstill here since 1/15, thanks to exceptionally freaky air CX. The oddest reception happens, but of late it has not added new ones for me. Musings show that many of us are getting exceptional southern reception in the early evening. That is the usual thing here, too. On 1/27, WJAM, 1310, sounded like a 50 kw/ local at 5:30 p.m., hardly a trace of interference from the several semi locals on that spot. Then on 1/28 at 5:45 p.m., WJAZ was in the clear on 1050 at s/off, after which 250 watt WHBO in Florida took over to 6:00, then nothing readable there. Not a trace of WMGM. Gulf Coast stations dominate the 1570-3500 spot. Mid-westerners, formerly heard well here, are seldom coming in this winter. Only three new ones since last report. ZFY, 600, often louder than WRCA, and in the clear Mondays, s/on daily 4:40 a.m. WICO, 1320, on DX and WALY, 1420 on DX, both very well heard. One more, WKBX, 1330, at 5 a.m. s/on, thanks to tip in DX NEWS. Quite a few nice letter veries in. WNIA-dx WIVV CKX-dx WDSP KBLN KQUE WDDY WHRT WDDT KQVR KUSH WJOE. All for now here except to say that WHIR and WMOO were not heard here, WHEP fair, WNIA hard to copy. WSPN unreadable until CHML put their carrier on, then close to 100% readable to s/off, as CHML came on. No CFCW or CHRD here.

Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Not too much to report this time as I had a little trouble with the set and my Zenith Radio Dial is off so not much but here is my latest. I was unable to listen to the DXes of the 21st due to that flu bug which has been around these parts all winter. Was I ever sick for a couple of days! No DX till the 26th when I heard the very fine DX from WSPN and what a signal they put out here! KLAJ was on 1600 with their AN hillbilly show. WFOB-1330 for MD, WALA-1410, MD, WFIS-1600 on top of KLAJ for f/c at 3:45 till 4:00. This may be regular. On the 27th, KOGT-1600 MD, WLOX-1490 on top of everybody, and KCLN-1390, the new Clinton, Iowa station at 3:00 p.m. on RS. 1/28- I was able to hear the swell DX from WICO. No CFCW as WEAR and WNOR on top. WION-1430 on r/c per list. WNOS-1590 s/on 5:00, report still out from October, and WDLF-1460 s/on 5:00. 1/29, the very fine DX was heard from WALY in Herkimer, New York and enjoyed. And on the first day of February, brought me WKIC-1430, Hazard, Ky. on for flood, and WHEP-1330, Tallahassee, Fla. asking for reports from DXers. Veries since my last report in the January 26 DX NEWS are from KQUE-920 WDDY-1420, WKNY-dx WKLO-1080, CBO-dx, KDEA-1400 PP card, KIEV-dx CKSL-1290, WHRT-dx KLTR-1580 KIKI-830 KPDQ-dx and today the first, XEAO-910 and WAVY-1350. Thirty-two veries for January compared to 42 in January 1956, so DX has been a little slow here. Twenty-four reports out for January '57, 13 verified. Guess that is it from here for this time. Hope to have more next time. All the best in DX. 73s.

REMEMBER THAT FOR THE FEBRUARY 23 ISSUE, WE WILL FEATURE REPORTS FROM ALL OUR NEW ENG\* LAND MEMBERS. WE'D LIKE TO HEAR FROM ALL OF YOU UP THERE, EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T DXED TOO MUCH OF LATE. LET'S KNOW IF YOU'RE STILL WITH US, YOU FROM WHOM WE DON'T HEAR VERY OFTEN, AND TO YOU REGULARS, WE'RE COUNTING ON YOU TOO! REMEMBER, ALL NEW ENGLAND.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

This is being written on Saturday 2/2 at noon after an 8" snowfall last night, but very beautiful today. Continuing with the DX "mail bag" from last week: 1/21-24 letter veries today, CKER-790 and CBO-910 for for NRC DX (CBO was unsolicited), WKLE-1370 and WRCD-1430 for NNRC DX 1/12 with a note that my prize for the most distant phone call will be sent in a few days. 1/22 letter, CKOT-1510 for NRC DX. 1/23, unsolicited letter WAPG-1480 for NNRC DX, Paul Hewell, CE states he is on every third Thursday at 4:00 EST and will QSL all reports. 1/24- Letter, WHRT-860 for NRC DX and a plain card from WEST-1400 which was mailed to me at Lake City, Pa. and forwarded by Hal Wagner. (Thanks Hal, that was verie #1,715 and #123 from Pennsylvania). 1/26, air mail letter KPDQ-300 for NRC DX, #5 from Oregon, but #1 from Portland. 1/29- Two letters for NRC DXes, WNIA, WHIR, both 1230, fast work on both. (To Lefty, this seems to conflict with Bernie's and your musing of 1/26. They were on, hi.) 1/31- Letter, CHRS-1090, thanks to tip from Howard Kemp, KWRD-1470 thanks to the CPC and CJKL-560, thanks to my being tuned to 560 at their midnight s/off on 1/21. 2/1, letter WELD-690 for RS on 1/2/57 and also for the 13 minute NEC DX of 1/6/57. That was verie #1,722. Working the 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. shift for seven nights left very little time for DXing.

~~Working with DX~~ Only two new additions were made. WLDB-630 Thomasville, Ala. well heard with Gospel music on 1/27 from 6:35-7:05 a.m. through CMQ for a new catch and WKIC-1450 Hazard, Ky. on emergency flood broadcast 3:00-3:30 for a long-wanted day-timer. I started working from 2:00-10:00 p.m. on 2/1 for seven days so I will be in there trying for the coming DXes as all but two listed for both the NNRC and NRC are needed here. The current issues of the DX NEWS are sure full of interesting findings and tips. We sure owe Lefty a great big "vote of thanks" for his "never-failing" interest in keeping DX NEWS the top BCB publication that it is. Till next week, 73.

Mike Ferguson - 3337 Prospect Street - Houston 4, Texas

Valient efforts to get in a little DX between semesters have produced some successful loggings recently, but my early AM listening will suffer again when the new semester starts. Despite some well-founded fears, I'm still in graduate school. My courses for the spring semester all will be set on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and since I start work at 4 p.m., I'll have Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings open for late sleep. Hence I figure to be able to DX some on these AMs. But I'll miss all the Monday morning shows. Logged somebody with pop tunes 1/26 during WSPN's scheduled time, but think it more likely was CJVI. 1/28- WICO-1320 heard one ID beneath TTer, and by the time the TTer quit WICO was below the readability level. Evidently PBB-9 on 4 a.m. EST, 1000 kc/s. Waited all morning for 4:40 and the ZFY s/on, then cursed loudly when a strong signal came on. So strong I thought it was WRCA at first, but it was ZFY, S 6-7. Got a little of it tape-recorded. I'm sure anybody in the country can get that s/on, judging by its strength here 1/28. YVOD-780 completed day with 5:20 s/on, using prolonged march, evidently anthem. Looks like we're going to move, finally, to a spacious suburb West of town, where I'll have room for long aeriels, and where I will get away from my assortment of buzzes and other forms of interference.

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 16, Oklahoma

Not too much new to report. Veries have been good; new loggings about nil. 1/22- KATR 1030 RB. 1/23- WKLX f/c, WEMA 1260 I think, 2:30-2:45 a.m. WJAZ 1050 BT. 1/28- TT and music during WICO-dx, who? 1/29, no WALY. KITI-NNRC weak. CFCW not heard on DX. Veries: FLAK (thanks, Francis, for swell verie and letter), WTSAN, WHIR-dx, KAWL-dx, KLEC KFOO with K2 letterhead, unusual. Good DX, everybody!

JoeENZ - 268 Central Avenue - Brooklyn 21, New York

To Lefty and Bernie Duffy, CBN on at 4:30 p.m. as early as November. Send CBC card. Reports out to KEED CJRW KPDQ WICO WALY about the latest. Veries in here are KBMM on DX, WAPG NNRC DX, KDEC WYZE, and this takes the cake - Verie report Dec. 27, 1947, supposedly mailed on Feb. 23, 1948 just arrived! Niné years old - this from CJFP Riviere du Loup, Quebec, 1400 kc/s., 250 watts. Wonder where they were for nine years? So, never give up! WKIT I hear is new call for Mineola. Right out of the RR station towers can be seen. WHLI lies on Southern State Parkway. Out where I work can hear both WPAC WALK and WRIV all day long and several around Connecticut and a few in Rhode Island. Well, that's about all here. Not much, just a short report, so best DXing to all.

TWO WEEKS FROM NOW IT IS THE NEW ENGLAND ISSUE. WE HOPE TO RECEIVE A REPORT FROM EVERY N.R.C. MEMBER IN THESE SIX NORTH-EASTERN STATES FOR THAT ISSUE. HOW ABOUT IT?

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

Well, with just a little DXing done have no kick at all. Five reports out and five veries in. Just sent report to WLSV-790 so no time for verie to come back. Looking over my list of 1,969 veries thought maybe some of our younger members might be interested to see that all of us older DXers had to begin just as they are. Here is how my veries arrived: 1928-1; 30-0; 31-4; 32 and 33, 0; 34-1; 35-1; 36-1; 37-1; 38-40; joined N.R.C. late this year; 39-345; 40-125; 41-115; 42-81; 43-80; 44-46; 45-70; 46-127; 47-253; 48-209; 49-149; 50-117; 51-47; 52-67; 53-71; 54-14; 55-0; 56-2 and so far in 57-3; total 1,969 for over a period of 29 years. You will notice the big jump in the year 1939 just after I joined the NRC. That was the best thing I ever did to increase my veries and log. Will always remember the saying of one of our real old members (now retired), Joe Becker. His words to me upon our first meeting at the 1939 Convention were to report the station when you hear them - never wait until some other time because "some other time" might never come, something I found to be really true very soon after. Had several real catches logged but felt I would report them at a more convenient time. Yes, the convenient time did come but most of those good catches that were only logged were then off the air. So you younger members, take the advice above. I can assure you I am not sorry I did. It may seem I too am very inactive, well - maybe, but there will be some DXing done this year as I can report several that I need that are daytimers in this location. Intend to get that total verie list up to the 2,000 mark by the end of this year at the least. In my 29 years of DXing I found that two things are a big help. First is patience, and the second is a good antenna. Both these seem to me more important than an expensive receiver. One former DXer here in Buffalo verified all the continents on just a regular Stewart-Warner home receiver and that was many years ago. Another one did exceptionally well on just a table model Zenith. So loads of good luck to the newcomers and younger members. Your verie totals will creep up to the higher numbers faster than you think.

Francis H. Nittler - 2305 South Lincoln Street - Denver 10, Colorado

DX very slimpy this week and likewise veries. On 1/26 I logged KFEL (970) Pueblo and KAFA (1430) Colorado Springs both on RS between 10:30-11:00 a.m. MST so for first time I have logged all stations in Colorado. I got real ambitious on Sunday morning 1/27 and got up at 4:30 local time but only thing heard was KPOL (1540) on their AN show. On 1/28 I was disappointed in not being able to hear WICO-dx as I still haven't logged one single station in Maryland. Also tried for CFCW although not needed but they didn't seem to be on. Did hear KQIK (1230) Lakeview, Ore. on a f/c from 4:00-4:15 with KBAR on from 4:10-4:25 on r/c but no CFCW. KQIK was the only new logging in a very poor Monday morning. I listened this morning for about 15 minutes after getting home late and heard KVLC (1050) Little Rock testing at 2:21 and they signed off at 2:25. Have wanted this one for a long time. Two veries were from CKOT-dx and KFEL. KFEL verie is from owner F. D. Hall who says he lives in Denver at 2725 South Penn which is only about seven blocks from where I live. He spends three days a week in Pueblo and four in Denver. KFEL doesn't come in here too well as too much squeeze play from KIMN on 950 and ELER on 990. Hope DX is good for everyone. The few times I have listened lately it sure has been terrible. 73s.

J. Warren Rutzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania

DX rather slow here the past week. Verifs were received from CBO KEOK KLEC LOUE CKMR WKOA WERT CKOT WITA. 1/24- WFUL end ET at 1:33, KSO-1460, and WTUP-1380 were testing to 2:30. 1/26- WFOB-1430 with a Dimethon at 4:30, CHML-900 s/on 5 a.m. 1/28- CHRD-1340 didn't get through here for NNRC, HJZ-1070 strong at 3:30. 2/1- WKIC-1430 on AN with flood program. WMEN-1330 testing at 3:30, WLET-1420 test 3:55. Many on but unidentified. 2/2- WKIC-1430 again on AN with flood reports, WCAE-1250 testing at 4:20. So not much was logged this week. Few other items to Stan and now I am about to skil in the slush to get a clip job. 73s.

Frank Wheeler - Box 176 - R.D. 5 - Erie, Pennsylvania

Received WNIA WHP Jan. 21 new (Specials), also KAWL on for NNRC but not new to me. WNIA is my 2,000th station received. Jan. 28, received WICO on for NRC, Another new one but not a special, WQIK 4:54 a.m. evidently on for the rest of the morning. Received WSPN, another Special, new for me. On Jan. 26 I received WBLR Batesburg, S.C. 1430 kc/s. signing on (new), and WALY on for the NRC, Jan. 29. Total now for me, 2,005 heard and 1,245 verified. 73s.



Peter L. Jacobson - 5217 South Portland Avenue - Minneapolis 17, Minnesota

Greetings again from the City of Lakes. I note in NRC about the verie situation. I have some things to say about this matter. 1. A rule is coming that will most make a station reply to anyone who is enclosing postage for reply. 2. People not enclosing postage and having any association with a station or with FCC must enclose postage or find them in very hot water to put it mildly. 3/ Stations not replying when postage is enclosed and when postage is sent for that purpose and mention of it in report or letter as you prefer, when station Permit comes up for renewal at FCC, this will be a factor in whether station will get permit for continuation or not. 4. It is the opinion of this writer and several others of the Monitoring Division that a station is supposed to be a public service to its public and listeners, failing to co-operate and sent out their correspondence is not fit to ever operate and shows very extremely poor and also extremely awful inefficiency which this writer cannot stand and never will and also personally I do not know or care who knows it either. I would like to ask some of these stations the following questions: How would you like it if you took the time, money, energy, getting up at such hours to be of help to a station, send postage for a reply, in some cases several, and still no answer? Now, stations, would you like it if the shoe was on the other foot? I know your stations are busy but, I doubt you have more than I have here to do for just one example. I average here in correspondence 400 or more per month. That is just to stations. That does not include any personal mail. I send reports and special listings to about ten stations. Also average about 30 in personal mail a month. Now I have no secretary. Why, you ask? Haven't found one who is what I call efficient to suit me. They're more interested in Coffee Breaks and looking pretty for the boss. That is how they are here, don't know how they are where you are. That is probably what has happened to a lot of your reports my dear friends fellows and gals of NRC and fellow monitors. Here is the case of a station in Texas for example. Twelve reports were sent to this station by yours truly eight of which were all different. Four were mentioning the other reports along with a separate sheet for each. Postage was enclosed for each and every report. Total 12 stamps 3¢ variety. On the 12th I got a QSL card verifying this station. But get this gals and guys, no signer. Well, it was at least verified. Sent back stamps. ...

Walter I. Goldy - Berra Nada Rancho - 6180 East Pima - Tucson, Arizona

(home address; 518 Jackson Avenue, River Forest, Ill.) Just a little jaunt down here to Tucson, to try to get a little sunshine and relaxation, after that hospital trip of mine and the subsequent return. On the way down, I stopped at a few of my delinquent stations and got some veries. The one I most desired was XEYC at Juarez and I got it. I'll try those at Tijuana next. Will be back at the dials again when I return home.

Stan Morss - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

1/26- WFOS Eostoria, Ohio 1450, MD AN show. WSPN-dx fair to poor signal here. 1/27, Sunday, WIAM 900 5:30 a.m. WION RS 5:50 a.m., 1430. WCIN s/on 6 a.m., 1480. WETB RS 6:15, 790 kc/s. WAPI MD 1070 AN. Someone under WWRL selling rose bushes at 6:41. WBBR still at old stand, 7 a.m. 1/28- WCOG TT 2:12 a.m. on 1320, WFBR with military band 2:35, WLCO f/c 3:17. Cartagena, Colombia on 1265 kc/s. - HJAQ? all AM. Cartagena, Colombia on 1330 with American music, call sounded like HJAB or V way over Duban. WICO DX, some QRM, probably WCOG, as they had been testing on and off during AM. At 4:35, WION on 1430. "Radio Demarara" per tip in bulletin for a new country, 4:45 a.m. and a nice S-7 signal at that until WRCA's carrier came on. Veries, KWTA WMLA. Report to CMCG returned by Havana Post Office. Used address in Weyrich Log. They say unknown - at least they sent it back to me. A verie from WJXN finally, a prepared card signed by Program Director. Can't make out name. 1/31- WPIT 730 at 2:02. WICK AN show 2:15 on top of 1400. WEVL AN for flood, 950. Others on 1240 and 1450 not ID.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC - NEW STATIONS

790 Tucson, Arizona 1,000 D-3 1420 Ponce, Puerto Rico 1,000 U-1  
1230 Everett, Washington 250 U-1

NEW CALLS

740 K U E Q Phoenix, Arizona 1330 K M O P Tucson, Arizona 1450 K D X U St. Geor  
1050 W F S C Franklin, N.C. 1340 W O U B Athens, Ohio ge, Utah  
1260 W V V W Fraiton, W. Va. 1420 W B R D Bradenton, Fla. 1570 WYTI Rocky Mt. Va.  
1270 K R A C Alamagordo, N.M. 1440 W Z Y X Cowan, Tenn. 1580 KWEL Midland, Tex.  
FACILITIES: WILA Danville Va.  
1360 K R U X Glendale, Ariz. 5,000/500 U-2, from 1340, 250 U-1, 1600 WCWC Ripon, Wis.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The DX continues quite "slow" at this den the past week. On Monday 1/28 the DX from CFCW (1230) Comrose, Alta. was impossible to hear from 3:30-4:30 a.m. as WHOR/WEAR controlled that frequency. But I was happy to log on that morning the WICO DX (1320) Salisbury, Md. from 4:00-4:30 a.m., for a nice logging. A fine and interesting DX was had from Station WALY (1420) Herkimer, N.Y. on 1/29 from 4-5 a.m. with only slight QRM in the background. Also on that date I logged KGMS (1380) Sacramento, Cal. with a test broadcast from 4:18-5 a.m. My first logging in February was Station WKIC (1430) Hazard, Ky. with an AN special flood broadcast, heard here from 3-4 a.m., and on again AN 2/2. Other stations in the area on with similar programs, like WSEV WHOR etc. but none of them new to my Log. Late verifications were letters from: WJOE WHBG WIA-dx WHRT-dx WWXL-dx.

Charles P. Atherton - East Slough Road - Harvard, Massachusetts

Only DXed two days this week, but good results. 1/28- Planned to get up in particular this morning to try for "Radio Demarara, British Guiana on 660 as per tip in recent bulletin. Excellent signal in the clear at 4:40 s/on and S-9 right up to 5:00 when WRCA signed on. Also heard WCOG-1320 on test at 4:00 and copied through WICO-1320 DX. Good signal on the latter, although got an argument from WCOG behind them. WAEN-1330 on 5:00 a.m. s/on and WKLM-790 on 5:30 s/on. 2/3- CHLO-680 on top here 4:05 a.m. WORD-910 on 5 a.m. s/on and WBSC-1550 on 7:15 s/on. Veries slow this week, but a few in - KLEC WAGN WIFM KABC WITA WOIC WFTC WKOW WDMF WVKO KENO WCRV WQOK for a total now of 1,665, of which 75 are for the present season. Apparently I am specializing this season in the Carolina - eight new veries from North Carolina with six reports out, and five veries in from South Carolina with three reports out. Hal Williams please note - KENO verie back air mail in four days by means of PP card, v/s Merl Sage, CE. Another plea for you fellows to send in your lists of delinquent stations. Have got a good start on the list, but would like to hear from more of you. With the few lists so far submitted, a few stations already show on several lists. When this trend becomes more marked, will list the most stubborn ones for all to see and take not, so send them in.

Leon S. Neblock - 302 West Main Street - Knoxville, Illinois

Jan. 18 - KABR 1220 f/c 1:25-1:40 s/off. WKY 930 auxiliary transmitter check, 1:50-2:05. 930, unknown TT, no ID 1:50-3:15. KLMR 920 f/c 2:05, s/off 2:15. WSPC 1240 f/c 2:15-2:25 barely heard through WINN. Jan. 19 - KVFC f/c-ET 2:15-3:00. WORZ 740 RS 2:15-3:00. Jan. 21- WFLO 860 f/c 1:15 -s/off, 1:20. KSGM 980 f/c 1:20-s/off 1:30. WLAC 1510 f/c 1:50-1:45. KWYO 1410 f/c 2:00 -s/off 2:15, WIL QRM. WSB 750 ET 3:00-3:10. KSTT 1170 15 minute f/c 3:00-3:15. WOWL 1240 f/c 3:20-3:30. Jan. 23- WKLX f/c 2:10, s/off 2:15. KSTP, some kind of a check, 3:25, ID at 3:41. Jan. 24 - WIPR 1330 ET 1:25-2:33. KRDO 1260 RS s/off 2:03. KRGI 1430 Special test 1:26 s/off 2:06 through WIL wash. WLET 600 RS s/off 2:15. WSGM 610 RS 2:55-3:05. Jan. 25- WRAM f/c 2:27, ID 2:48. Jan. 28- WCBS 880 test 2:00-3:00, 1120 TT, no ID 3:00-3:30. KMOX 1120 ET 3:30-4:00. Jan. 30- WCLS 1580 f/c 2:25-2:35, 1310, Greensboro, N.C., couldn't get call, testing through WILS 2:54-3:30. (WCOG, Leon -Ed.) WIEW 580 ET 3:35, ID 3:48. WFTC 960 RS 3:30-4:00. WINS 1010 RS 4:00-5:00. Jan. 31- WCKY 1530 Special on flood, 1:40-1:55. WIEP RS 2:25-2:40. January has been good for me as to verifications, 25. Since last report, five cards - WLBA KLAJ (thanks, Francis) WRAM WNAX WBT. Letters - KICA KQUE KRVN with coverage map, WKXY KDAL KVED WKY with EKKO stamp my first, KLIR KROL KVFC WOWL WJHL WSB WFLO KRYN. (Fine report, Leon -Edl)

Rennie Duffy - 77 Livemore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

An indication that we're nearing the end of another DX season is that during the past week I only added one station, WALY 1420 to my heard list, and only got two letter veries, from CBN, St. Johns, and CJEM, New Brunswick. Result of my dialing during that period was: 1/29, WALY Herkimer, N.Y. boomed in like a local with its DX @ 4 a.m. on. 2/2, WLET 1420 Todcoa, Ga. came in quite well at its daily s/on at 5:30 a.m. 2/3, WSBA 910, York, Pa. heard explaining the purpose of their weekly Sunday AM DXcast @ 3:30 though most of us have heard them, I think we should all send them an occasional report and thank you in order to retain the good will of the engineers of that station. 3/4, the merest whisper on 910 kc/s. at 4 a.m. might have been CKLY's DX but I couldn't raise it sufficiently to make it out. No sign of KDAN either. Whatever club member asked for a TCW card can have one by writing to me, because I have an extra one. REMEMBER TO DOUBLE SPACE YOUR REPORTS AND STICK TO 30 LINES OF OUR PRINT. THANK YOU.



Hank Holbrook - 4710 Edgemoor Lane #203 - Bethesda 14, Maryland

Veries are trickling in at a slow pace. But since most of the reports are out to LAs I guess I can't expect too much. Cards are back from HROW 845, WQOK 1440 and TGTO 820. Letters have been received from CKJL 900 and CKOY 1510 (for my 99th and 100th Canadians), TIQ 1175 and a fine long letter from WIVV 1370. They say that their greatest audience is in the Virgin Islands with a total population of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  million. "Our signal is heard regularly and all day by audiences nearly one thousand miles away. We are very happy about this." I'm really ashamed of myself - I've managed to miss every DX program presented in January. Had a severe buzz on the dial for about a week and a half which drowned out everything excepting the locals and semi-locals. It's gone now, thank goodness! During the rest of the month I was busily shutting off the alarm in my sleep. Is this a sign of old age, Lefty? (I wouldn't know, Hank, being just a kid myself - Ed.) Did send reports out to the following stations: 1/7, ZFY Georgetown British Guiana on 660 kc/s. from 4:40 to 5:21. In the clear with S-9 signals before 5:00. WRCA carrier on at 5:00 and rather difficult to copy after that time. 1/13- WIVV Isle de Vieques, P.R. 1370 on the dial, in clear from 5 s/on until 5:30 a.m. Good signal strength and all in English with religious programs. Two new ones added on the 18th. WQOK Greenville S.C. 1440 new AN, 1:05 to 1:20 a.m. This one sends a nice card. KLMR 920 in Lamar, Col. received on f/c with poor to good reception through QRM. On 1/28 logged XEWB Veracruz 760 and XEWQ Guadalajara Mexico on 1190 kc/s. Took a dual logging of these two from 11:55 p.m. to 12:55 a.m. XEWB almost 100% readable with very little WJR QRM. XEWQ very poor with heavy CMK QRM. The last station logged in January was WICO 1320 logged during day (since I missed their DX) from 11:10 to 11:30 a.m. on the 25th. Well heard at this location on RS. I note that no one has yet heard from the HJAL DX. When they wrote me regarding the program, they said they would send a permit to all listeners reporting. I then wrote them a letter explaining about verifications, so they may be making up QSL cards. I'll wait another month or so and if no reply I'll write again on behalf of the club. Veries are 1,866 (30 on long wave) in 72 countries.

Harold E. Schrock - W9QWM - R.R. 1 - Paxton, Illinois

I found the evening of 1/25 good for LA DX. Logs taken on "La Voz de Reeleccion" 1125 (HI2A) till s/off 9:35 p.m.; Colombia 1185 s/off 10 p.m. TIQ 1175 10 p.m., "Radio Casino", Puerto Plata, C.R. At 10:30 heard TIRA 735 and TIJC 585. HROW 845 logged to 12:10 a.m., unID 1083 10:10 p.m. 1/26- YSEB 1075 to s/off 1 a.m. KOSY 790 f/c per list. CMCH 790 1 a.m. WSPN DX in clear. Evening 1/26 good for LAs. Colombia 1185 s/off 11 p.m. this evening. HJKA 685 to s/off 11:56 p.m. Log on TICS 855 11 p.m. El Salvador 1015 11:30 p.m. to 1:00 s/off. 1/28- Started DXing hoping for lots of DX but first  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours netted nothing. CFCW DX unheard unless it was on early. WJOB 1230 testing 3:30, KERN 1410 s/off 3:15. KIAK 1600 AM. WICO DX 4:15 OK. HJDZ 1070 time station, 4:30. To save the morning from failure was ZFY British Guiana at 4:40 s/on, nice signal, good as WICO was. WABA 850 under CKVL 5 a.m. WIAC weak on 740, 5:15. KRMG testing 740 5:35. WRUF 850 s/on 5:30. 1/29- WALY DX OK. 1/30- WKLX f/c per list. Unknown TT 1570 1:35, who? Unknown TT 1580 to 2:30, who? Veries received past week, CBAT WLD5 (15th anniversary) WHRT WAPG WQOK WHIR PJA5 RAB, Honduras, XEAO WELD. You members on the West Coast who listen to hames, report W9QWM if you hear me afternoons on ten meter phone. Good DX to all.

J. B. "Pat" Reilly - 223 Crossman Street - Jamestown, N.Y.

Veries back are WHIR WWXL. This leaves 30 new reports still out, ten were for DXes, plus 15 DXes for dupes. 1/29- WEBF, 1570, f/c 2:45 to 3:00. Here's a dumb question. Is there a German speaking station between 1380 and 1390? About 3:02, tuned here between KHON and 1390, said "Danke" several times (Thanks) and smooth classical music. KXLF, 1370, test at 3:30 for a new one. WALY DX like a house afire here, another new one. KGIS, 1580, test at 4:30. 1/30- KAYO, 1150, at 3:00. Then it got terribly noisy and I went to bed. 1/31- Unknown on 900 at 2:40 to 2:58 $\frac{1}{2}$  and silent, no voice. WKOW, 1070, testing atop KNX at 3:13. WRCV, 1060, TT at 3:28. I need this one but can't seem to catch enough to report. WOKO, 1460, test at 3:50. 2/1- WKIC, 1430, flood news at 2:58. WCIN, 1480, test at 3:03 and unknown with KvOD, 630, after 4:00 and bad noise today. 2/2- WAMB, 1580, test at 2:32. WKIC, 1430, with AN flood news. WJLL, 1440, test at 4:02. WKJG, 1380, test at 4:07. 2/3- No DX. Wife takes off for visit to California today.

EVERY NEW ENGLANDER IS ASKED TO REPORT FOR THE SPECIAL ISSUE DEDICATED TO NEW ENGLAND DATED FEBRUARY 23, 1957. LET'S HAVE THOSE REPORTS RIGHT NOW, BOYS, LEST YOU FORGET!

Ron B. Schiller - P.O. Box 1084 - University of Delaware - Newark, Delaware

Just thought of something: I missed the New Jersey issue of DX NEWS. I had all due intentions of writing in, but I was in New York on Saturday, then went back to school the Sunday before publication. No DX NEWS this week; I owe Wagner \$4.00! Really busy this week. I changed courses from Engineering to Arts and Sciences, with major in Sociology, I believe. Not much new DX-wise. Verie #860 from CKMR-dx and mother says there are a couple at home for me. Think I had WMEG s/on 5:30 last week, tentative sent to see. Also, WHPB VKIT WBLR WTAQ WEAU WOBZ and some others unrecalable at the moment. Sorry I missed you New Year's Eve, Lefty. Jim and I went to the City and had a ball, sort of on the sly! 73.

Lefty Cooper - 488 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

A few veries in here this week, in fact, three on one day, all letters: WWXL-1580-dx, WELD-690-dx, KWRD-1470-dx, and WJOE-1570 RS. Not an awful lot of DX this week, but a few notes. I'm very much interested in that "secret method" of DXing without an antenna as mentioned by Len Lockwood. Also, thanks to Leon Neblock for his answers to queries I had in here two weeks ago. To Hal Wagner, I'm still laughing at your comment on the "tentative verie!" That struck me funny when I read it, and I guess those near me in the office must have thought I had a spicy book or something behind my ledger instead of DX NEWS! Away over the weekend so not much DX to report, but we did get 2 new ones - at least one for sure, and two tentatives, which we'll score as  $\frac{1}{2}$  each. The tentatives were the DX's from CKLY-910 and KLLA-1570 and the positive was the booming signal of "Radio Demerara" on 660 at 4:40 s/on to s/on of WRCA's carrier. I'll bet they raise hobb with WRCA's signal about 100 miles out! It was the easiest SA ever logged here. They do not mention any call letters, although they are supposed to be ZFY. This is also a new country for me, of course. The KLLA-dx of 2/5 was probably the one behind XERF. They must believe in the old wheeze "fight fire with fire," for to combat XERF's hillbilly music, they used - of course - hillbilly music! S/on of WJOE's carrier muled them at 5:37 or so. So long for now, except to ask: "Worder what's become of Anthony Lagatutta, Basil Segraves, Elbert Tewell & John Pohl?"

ON THE STATION'S STATIONERY. KXOL-1360.

Dear Mr. Barene: (Fred Barene, of Seattle)

"I was pleased to receive your DX letter but I believe I should call attention to the fact that most of the fellows who send me reports are giving me a log that I have no way of accurately confirming. The mistake stems from the fact that you supply little or none of the information we record on the log. Perhaps I can help you for future reports. Here are the main things we record on the log. The station identification, the sponsor's name in the commercial announcements and the name of the program.

"We do not log the music selections so they are of no value in checking against your report.

"I believe you have mentioned enough sponsors and identified part of the Weather Watch program to justify my confirming your reception.

"However, I believe the fellows will get more confirmations mailed back to them if they will observe the above advice. I would suggest you pass this along."

(signed) Hugh McBeath, Chief Engineer, KXOL, Ft. Worth, Tex.

This seems to be the case in many instances. Yet, read this one now.

WEEX - 1230

Dear Mr. Cooper:

"We have checked the program logs for Sunday, May 27, 1956, and find the selections and newscasts broadcasts agree exactly with the time and selections listed in your letter." (signed) Nelson S. Rounsley, General Manager, WEEX, Easton, Pa.

From the consensus, it would seem that most stations do NOT log their musical numbers on RS, but some do. Most stations do log the musical numbers on DX and Test programs though, we believe. So we suggest: List the musical numbers; list any sponsor's name you might hear, and log the ID word for word if possible. In other words, give them as much information as you can glean from the program, and surely some of it will be in their Station Log, whatever it might be.

Anyone wishing a dedication on the WGBB-1240 DX of March 18, the way to get it is to have a report in the "DX NEWS" of March 9, the one in which their program will be written up. THAT IS THE ONLY WAY A SELECTION WILL BE DEDICATED TO YOU OVER WGBB!

MUSINGS FROM OUR HONOR STATES THIS WEEK: WASHINGTON-NEW MEXICO-NEBRASKA-OREGON.

Marvin E. Robbins - 7805 Woolworth Avenue - Omaha 14, Nebraska

Hope all of this arrives in time for the big CORNHUSKER ISSUE of Musings. We should have one of the highest percentages of members reporting to a dedication issue of any of the states. Latest DX activity here includes, well, let's start with this morning. Station WICO (1320) Salisbury, Md. made it behind another tester most of the time, but the other tester went off just a few minutes before s/off, so logged quite a bit in the clear. Anyone know who this unidentified tester was? Station CFCW (1230) was on top of the frequency here much of the time on their DX. Surprisingly good signal for the distance. Don't believe WEAR was on. WJEW definitely off. On 1/26: XEAW (1280) taking out WTCN and WDSU at 8 p.m. Also KVHL (1320) at s/off. On 1/21: WHIR (1230) and WNIA (1230) both logged on DXes. Neither was too strong, and logging was difficult. WPON (1460) on early RS, WHEP (1310) DX completed the day with WTIK (1210) Durham, N.C. also. On Sunday AM, 1/20 a surprise at 8:30 a.m. was WJPR (1330) Greenville, S.C. The sun was up and everything. On 1/19 (and you can see I'm moving backwards, hi) was KIWW (1540) and KSML (1250) at sunset. On 1/16, WWXL (1580) DX nicely heard. By the way, WSPN (900) on 1/26 was not heard here. No carrier on frequency so don't believe they made it again. On 1/15: WHRT (860) on DX. That's about it for now. 73. Hope all you cornhuskers made it this issue, hi.

Gene Cameron - W. 5407 Princeton Place - Spokane 14, Washington

I am using this Special section as an open letter to all you fine members of NRC and particularly to those of you with whom I have corresponded or met personally. My inactivity is caused by many extra hours having to be spent on my job, and I see no slacking of work time in the near future. It is just physically impossible for me to sit up all weekend and then work Monday and Tuesday from 7:30 a.m. until 10:00 p.m. which is my normal schedule. Couple this with all days the rest of the week. I also work Thursday evening, and you can see my difficulty. I'm sure you all realize this inactivity is a great displeasure to me, but I am of the nature that a little participation is worse than none at all. In everything I undertake, work or pleasure, I always do so wholeheartedly as was the case with you fellows for four years until just a year ago. I can get a different job any time with normal hours, but the lesser hours would amount to a pay cut of approximately \$150 per month and our budget cannot be re-adjusted at this time. So, as long as I keep my present job, I shall be working extra hours. My heard log is about 890 and the veries total 751. I shall continue my membership hoping for some change next fall so I can again sit up in the wee hours with the rest of you. (Why not try Roy Millar's tape-DXing style, Gene? -Ed.)

Ted Saling - Route 2 - Box 1710 - Estacada, Oregon

I am enjoying my 20th year of DX, a lot of them as a member of NRC. For the past six seasons, I have DXed only for the NRC and NNRC Special programs. Those busy CPC men have given me all the DXing I have time for. So far I have reported to 38 stations and 23 have already verified. Total veries 739 for an average of 38.2 per season so I'm doing OK. Only two reports were sent out in October and eight in November. HJAL Sincelejo was heard for my first report to Colombia. December was a busy month with 21 stations reported. CBAF, 1300, Moncton heard for my first from New Brunswick. I have not found many of the January DXes with loggable signals and only seven reports out. The best of the seven was WRCD 1430 on NNRC DX naming Hal Williams as most distant phoner. CFNS verie in and #10 from Saskatchewan, thanks, J. G. La Croix. CKOT #10 from Ontario, and most distant 250 watter from that province. 73. (Welcome back to these pages, Ted. Don't make yourself so scarce! -Ed.)

Leonard Lockwood - Route 10 - Box 792 - Olympia, Washington

In order to make the Washington report 100%, guess I had better send in a report. On 1/23 I taped KBAR-1230 Burley, Idaho on their monthly f/c-TT. While on vacation last May I stopped into KBAR and received a verie of 5/13/56. This is my one and only verie. On 1/29 I taped the KITI-1420 DX program from 5:03 to 6:01. I did this while in bed, as I have a set-up such as Roy Millar has. My equipment includes a Zenith Trans-Oceanic, RCA Victor Model 6-EX-63, a Zenith Model R623W, a Regency Transistor pocket radio, a Zenith-Royal 500 Transistor pocket radio, an RCA Victor Model 5-C-592 clock radio Slumber King. Though I haven't any veries to speak of, I have logged many DX programs, f/cs, etc. thanks to the NRC. I have logged most every state, Canada, Mexico, Alaska, Hawaii and Okinawa. I DX without an antenna, by a little trick I happened to discover quite by accident. If any DXer happens to be interested in my (next page)

(Leonard Lockwood, con'd from preceeding page) drop me a line. By this method I have logged as far as Great Bend, Kansas, a 250 watter, on my little Regency Transistor radio which I consider a poor radio. Before signing off, I wish to give all my credit from DXing to the wonderful NRC. I couldn't get along without it, so 73. (Welcome, Len, and thanks for those nice words! -Ed.)

Fred Barvane - 2828 West 69 Street - Seattle 7, Washington

Greetings from the Evergreen State! This report follows my last one by about two weeks so not much new to add. Best DX program heard during this time was WWXL-1580 with surprisingly strong signal. (This program was being taken in by tape recorder while I was getting a good night's sleep, hi.) I set my recorder for most of the week nights DXes and f/cs, while I am at the dials on Monday mornings. This WWXL and KEON-1490 are my furthest 250 watt stations. New veries include QSL cards from CFCQ-600, WNAX-570 (picture postcard of station) KENS-680, WJJD-1160, and WFAA-820. Letters are from WLS-890, KORE-1400, KMUR-1230, KYW-1100, KXOL-1360 who also sent QSL card, and KSPC-1190. Speaking about prompt veries, KSPC-1340, Spokane, Wash. and KULE-730 Ephrata, Wash. both received in two days from day I mailed reports. Now for a few statistics. I have logged 437 stations with only 168 verified. My leading state verie-wise is California by far, with 46 from that state. Way back in second place is Oregon with 21. Washington, my home state, only credits me with 18. My receiver is a National SW-54 and I have an 80' aerial running NE/SW. Also a 70 footer running N-S, which works best on a few stations. My 80 footer is connected to a neighbor's garage or I couldn't even have one that logg. The CFCW Camrose, Alta. DX was heard very easily here for a very welcome one for me. That's it from here. 73.

Carl Vertrees - 7349 31st Avenue S.W. - Seattle 6, Washington

Haven't been doing much DXing lately. My school lead during the week and the fact that I've been getting up early on the weekends to go skiing doesn't allow much of that. Since my last report, if anyone can remember back that far, I've heard from KBTK-1300, KOBY-1550, KMUN-560, and KLO-1430. I received the KLO card only 13 months after reception. About the first part of November I sent out a bunch of letters with only the three above answered. Maybe someone can help me with some ID. Is there a station in Redding, Cal. on 1230 or 1240 that may sound like KRED? Nothing more to say except I wish the rest of you a lot of luck in your DXing and hope I can find some time for it. 73. (We hope so too, Carl, and hope for more reports! -Ed.)

Roy H. Millar - Route 2 - Box 6704 - Issaquah, Washington

Happy to see a 100% turnout from Washington/Oregon for this DX NEWS! A little DXing since last report, so to same: Jan. 21st, On 1230 and logged WEAR in Pensacola, Fla. from 3:01 a.m. on for my fifth Florida graveyarder, but first since Feb. 23, 1953 DX from WROD; some 30 second periods of TT noted during WHIR's DX sked, so a tentative report to WHIR. It is interesting to note that 1230 was clear of any K calls from KERN's s/off at 3:01 a.m. until KPRL s/on listed f/c at 4:15 a.m. Jan. 25- Tried without luck for KLEO's f/c through XEG; heard XEG's "National Help Club" advertisement - what a deal! Jan. 26- WSPN's DX on 900 couldn't be heard through AN CJVI - too bad not scheduled for a Monday morning so more could have had a crack at them. KLAJ-1600 Lakewood, Col. noted on AN programming after KASK s/off at 5 a.m. Jan. 28- KONE-1450 Reno, Nev. briefly in clear from 3 a.m. s/off of KORE until KONE s/off at 3:07 a.m.; CFCW's DX on 1230 easy here for 36th DX program logged this season; KRDG-1250, Redding, Cal. (Note Carl Vertrees -Ed.) logged on f/c as listed. Jan. 29- HIFI-dx on 1420 for NRC, a local, blocked any chance for our DX from WALY. Veries in: KRED-1080 (QSL card), CLOT-1510-DX and my first Ontario kw!, WJVB-1010 DX after several f/ups, KIFW-1230, Sitka, Alaska; KMUR-1230, Murray, Utah; WFIG-1290 DX on f/up, KYW-1100 and WCKY-1530 (QSL card). To CPC: My most wanted station for a DX program is KHFS-1150, Vancouver, Wash. for a Monday AN. If any others in agreement, why not drop Len Kruse a card and maybe he, or someone, can work out a DX from this daytimer before this season is over - what say? A couple of my previously "most wanted" Northwest stations have been QOed in recent months in KBPS-1450 and KMUR-1230. 73.

Of the SEVEN reports from Washington/Oregon/Nebraska/New Mexico, FIVE were from the State of Washington, one from Oregon and one from Nebraska. Our heartiest congratulations to the Western members in Washington, Oregon and California a few weeks back, who really had the pride and energy to come through with reports for their dedicatory issues of "DX NEWS." It looks like the trend in DX as in many other fields is WESTWARD



## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

Edited by: Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, USA

Before getting on to the DX news of the week, we seem to have a rash recently of reports which are not grouped by continent and country. Will you all please do this, as it saves a lot of time at this end. We do not count Central America as a continent, it is part of North America. We count Trinidad, and the Netherlands Antilles as part of South America. Now will you please all continue to report, but take a couple of minutes to organize your reports before sending them.

## NORTH AMERICA

PUERTO RICO-\*--The FCC announces a new station for Ponce to operate on 1420 Kcs. with 1 Kw. power, unlimited time, non-directional. HH notes that he had WIVV (1370) Island of Vieques, signing on at 0500 AST, which should have been EST. I think we have that down OK now. WORA (1150), Mayaguez, logged from 0509 to 0524 on 1/28, and a report has been sent. (HJW) WIAC (740) weak under KRMG test 1/28 at 0515. (HS) WABA (850) under CKVL at 0500 1/28. (HS)

COSTA RICA-\*--TIGG "Radio Excelsior" San Jose, is operating from 0700-2400 weekdays, 0700-2130 Sunday. Operates on 1060 Kcs. Also uses slogan "La emisora es ciento por ciento deportiva". (WRH)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC-\*--"La Voz de la Reeleccion" (1125) logged at s/off 2135 on 1/25. (HS) New LA noted on 1157 Kcs. evenings believed to be in Dominican Republic (Not to be confused with station on 1159 Kcs. which is also heard). Perhaps this is HI3A from 1125 Kcs. which hasn't been heard recently. (RSM) PT reports "La Voz de la Reeleccion" (1127) logged 1721-1831 on 1/26 with good signals and thinks this may be HI3A. Who knows?

HAITI-\*--4VW (1325) logged 1832-1922 on 1/26 through CMBL side bands. One on 1385 Kcs. not as strong. (PT) Thoroughly positive veric from 4VA (1080) Port-au-Prince, from tape recording sent. Has 1000 watts and signor is J. Hart. (RHM)

COSTA RICA (More)\*--I'm getting sleepy, as I overlooked these items while doing Costa Rica. Probably TIRA (735) heard 2230 on 1/25. Probably TIJC (585) heard as late as 0010. TIQ (1175) heard at 2205 and 2305 1/25 and 1/26. TICS (855) "La Voz de America" still on at 0056 on 1/26. (HS)

EL SALVADOR-\*--"Radio Emisera Centro America" (1015) logged at 0100 sign-off, mentioned San Salvador. Is this YSC? Also on 1/26 at 2315 advertising for Salvador and Honduras. (HS) (YSC should be on 1025 Kcs., this slogan is unfamiliar-FV)

MEXICO-\*--XELG (680) "Radio Leon" logged on top of KNBC from 0135-0155 on 1/28. (PT) Dual report sent to XEWB (760) and XEWQ (1190) for 1/27 and 1/28, logged from 2355-0047. XEWB strong with very little WJR WRM. XEWQ poorly received with very heavy QRM from CMK. (HH) Veric in from XEAO "The Voice of Mexicali" at the service of agriculture (910) 250 watts, schedule 0500-midnight PST, off air on Good Friday. Address Apartado 416, Mexicali, B. C. Signer is Delia G. Lara. Has frequency check with San Diego 1st Monday at 0330. (HS)

HONDURAS-\*--HROW (845) good identification and log. (HS) HH reports a very attractive QSL card received from HROW (845) signed by Alfredo Leon Gomez, Mgr.

PANAMA-\*--1025 Kc. station logged 0615-0645 on 1/28, no ID was heard. Is this HOU? (PT) (Pete, our information says it is HOU, David)

GUATEMALA-\*--RAB (1613) PAA Radio Beacon uses 50 w and is located at Rabinal. The beacon is used for aeronautical navigation by aircraft approaching Guatemala City from the north. 1613 Kc. is used rather than 200-400 Kc because the lower frequency did not provide proper bearing. Veric via FAA Latin American Division, Box 817, Miami 48, Florida. Robert Lockhart, jr, Dvn Comms Supt. signed it. (HS)



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CUBA-\*--CMJJ (540) Camagucy is on till 0200 1/27, heard for the first time. (PT) SRM reports that his report to CMCG using the address we have listed was returned by the Havana post office marked "unknown". Can anyone help him with a correct address. The one we have and which he used is: Real #302, La Ceiba, Marianao, Havana. (I sent mine to the same place, not returned as yet-FV)

JAMAICA-\*--"Radio Jamaica" (720) copied for report 2028-2105 on 1/28, with WGN completely eliminated with loop, but heavy QRM from UNID Latin station which announced correct time after every selection slogan sounded like "Radio Picto del Hora". (RSM)

ALASKA-\*--Veric in from KIFW (1230) Sitka, signed by Alvin Larson, C. E. (RHM)

## SOUTH AMERICA

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES-\*--PJA-5 (1435) logged in any radio in house 1731-1831 1/26. PJA-10 (665) good 0533-0610 1/28. One on 864 (PJC-5) noted in good shape also through CMBL sidewash. (PT) HS adds that PJA5 veric was received for 1435 Kcs.

BRAZIL-\*--PRA4 (740) "Radio Sociedade da Bahia" in Sao Salvador is now operating on short waves on 11875 Kcs. PRA4 has 50 Kw. (WRH) "Radio 9 de Julho", Sao Paulo, listed as station ZYR98 (540). (WRH) MF reports a station, evidently PRD-9 (1000) with s/on at 0400 on 1/28 S-4 signal.

BRITISH GUIANA-\*--This week is a ~~xxxxxx~~ repetition of last week's reports with everyone getting ZFY (660) at 0440 sign-on on Monday morning. PT logged them 1/28 0445-0500. HS logged him at the same time. HJW had him in California same time. Also reported in Houston by MF. Finally CPA logged him 1/28 and again on 2/4 but not so good. Whoops, forgot SRM also reports him.

COLOMBIA-\*--SRM asks for information on Colombians logged on 1330 and 1265 Kcs. One on 1330 sounded like HJAB or V, used American records and mentioned Cartagena. One 1265 Kcs. also mentioned Cartagena, but no call heard. Both all AM 1/28. PT must have been listening at the same time, as he reports the same thing. (Sorry, no Cartagena stations listed on either freq. Any help??) HJCG (1060) "Radio Santa Fe", Bogota, logged from 0535 to 0600 on 1/28, report sent. (HJW) HJCV (1200) "Radio Popular" Bogota, logged from 0528-0607 on 2/2 with report sent. (HJW) HJKA (685) logged at s/off at 2355 "Radio Emisora Nacional" de Colombia. HJQC HJKB, HJKA MW, Bogota. (HS) 1185 Kc. call sounded like HJAB and is a RCN station. Sounded like Radio Compponacion or Radio Comercial. s/off at 2200 on 1/25 and at 2300 on 1/26. (HS) (It is HJAV, see last week's DIGEST-FV) Veric in from HJKM (740) "Radio Capitol" Bogota, signed by Jaime Nietox Cano, Gerente, Calle 62 No. 13-66, 3<sup>er</sup>, Bogota, Colombia. (JT) Also HJED (820) Cali, "La Voz del Rio Cauca", Signed by Eduardo Rueda Santos, Director-Administrador. Note Weyrich log lists "Radio Capitol" as HJCU and this is incorrect. Should be HJKM. HJED belongs to Caracol-Primera Cadena Radial Colombiana.

PARAGUAY-\*--"Radio Paraguay" Asuncion, is operating on 1300 Kcs. with the call ZP10 with 5 Kw. (WRH)

VENEZUELA-\*--YVKS (750) on top of WSB ~~1845-1901~~ 1845-1901 on 1/26. (PT) YVOD (780) with long National Anthem at s/on at 0520 on 1/28, S-6 anf easy in Houston. (MF)

SURINAM-\*--"Radio Surinam" (920) AVROS, Paramaribo, was heard at 0441 sign-on on 2/4, but QRM from KQUE and unknown TT was bad. Parts of opening announcement readable enough for positive ID, but signal about equal to KQUE and conditions poor. Will try again next Monday. (CPA) With this information, I can see where every radio in the NRC foreign section will be tuned come 0440 next Monday morning. Let me know how you make out. I'll be there too.

LUXEMBOURG--"Radio Luxembourg"'s new transmitters (100 Kw) are now on the air, but reception does not seem any better, quite a lot of QSB. However, when the old 150 Kw. transmitter is installed on the new site, the total power will be 350 Kw, which should give extremely good reception all over the UK. (RP)

SPAIN--The new station in San Sebastian "La Voz de Guipaycos" is heard here with a good signal around 2315 GMT with s/off at 2330. ~~XXX~~ (RP) "Radio Nacional de Espana" broadcasts every Sat. Night at 1830-2000 a program entitled "Buenos Noches Europa, Aqui es Madrid". This is on 585 Kcs. and has English announcements along with other European languages. (WRH) "Radio Juventud de Espana" is again operating on 1106 Kcs. schedule 0400-2100. (WRH)

ALBANIA--Albanian Foreign Service uses the Medium wave transmitter on 1358 Kcs. from 1700-1800. (WRH)

## AFRICA

TANGIER--"Radio G'spel" programs are broadcast over Radio Africa (22(935) as follows 0645-0700 on weekdays, 0745-0800 on Sundays programmes for Spain and Italy. 1715-1730 for France and Portugal. 2130-2145 for France and Spain. English on Thursdays. 2145-2200 Sundays ENGLISH. New QSL is now being issued by IBRA RADIO whose United Kingdom QRA is Luton, Berks. (RP)

## ASIA

CHINA--Sinkiang Radio Station operating on 910 Kcs. is on the air weekdays from 1825-2330, 0730-1000 and 1055-1300. Sundays from 0930-1230 according to QSL. (WRH)

NORTH KOREA--According to WRH "Radio Pyongyang" is operating on 1080 Kcs. in Chinese from 0100-0130, Japanese 0130-0200 and 0430-0500 on 820 Kcs. In Korean from 0400-0430 on 820 Kcs. (WRH)

## MYSTERY

From PT "Emisora Cadena Musical" (585) thought to be in Quito, doesn't come in as early as do Costa Ricans, several of which were heard, but doesn't come in well until after midnight and signs off at 0100.

From MF: Before PRB-9 signed on, something was heard on 1000 Kc. apparently same program as on 800 Kcs. Would guess TP from sound of it, but sigs got bad at ID. Used 5 tone pips before ID. After 0400 signals on 800 got worse. Any other suggestions?

From JT: Have heard a station using Spanish on 1580 Kcs. after XEDM has signed off. Have taken a log on this one 3 different times but never seem able to get call or location. At first thought to be XEMN, but Weyrich lists this on another freq. Heard on 12/31, 1/14, and another date previous to 12/31. Also a station on 1265 Kcs. Monday 1/28 at 0355. Another in Spanish on 1000 on 1/28 at 0310. This one did say "Radio Metropolitana", Guatemala, but not sure of call. Another on 905 Kcs. logged several times. (Maybe you fellows can get your mysteries together, as you seem to be getting them on the same freqs.)

From HS: Marinba music on 1083 Kcs. at 2210 on 1/25.

From SRM: Another British accent on 785 Kcs. at 0515 on 1/28 noted. (This is Radio Trinidad in Port of Spain, listed on 790, but operating on 785 to avoid QRM-FV)

## REPORTERS

JT-John T. Tweedie, Box 103, Oakhurst, New Jersey.

PT-Pete Taylor, 5615 Orduna Drive, Coral Gables 46, Florida.

SRM-Stan R. Morss, R. R. #3, Bradford, Massachusetts.

MF-Mike Ferguson, 3337 Prospect, Houston 4, Texas.

WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.

CPA-C. Porter Atherton, East Slough Road, Harvard, Massachusetts.



HJW-Hank Wilkinson, 6620 Beeman Avenue, North Hollywood, California.  
 RHM-Roy H. Millar, Rt. 2, Box 6704, Issaquah, Washington.  
 RSM-Ray S. Moore, P. O. Box 19, Rowley, Massachusetts.  
 HS-Harold E. Schrock, R. R. #1, Paxton, Illinois.  
 HH-Hank Holbrook, 4710 Edgemoor Lane #203, Bethesda 14, Maryland.  
 FCC-Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.  
 RP-Roy Patrick, C/o Hippodrome Theatre, Derby, England.

## OUR OVERSEAS MAILBAG

From Roy Patrick--Nothing exciting to report. Conditions are extremely poor this season. CBN has been audible but with a poor signal. On 1/19 a few W stations were audible with WABC being the best. Specifically CBN St Johns (640) pretty regularly best around 2400 QSA-3 S-2 to 3. VOUS St John heard on 1/18 at 2415. On 1/19 between 0100 and 0200 logged CBN (640), WNAC (680), WOR (710), and WABC (770), best signal from the states.

## GENERAL

First of all, I have an airmail letter from Lund Johanson of WORLD RADIO HANDBOOK advising that he was in error in offering our club a discount. That he should not have sent that letter at all. He has stated that he cannot comply with his offer. In order to save all of you from writing another letter, I have ordered WORLD RADIO HANDBOOKS for everyone who has written, and they are on the way to me. Will everyone who wrote previously (No others, please) send me \$2.00, and I'll mail your HANDBOOK within about five days. Sorry for the mix-up, which was caused by Mr. Johnson, not by me, as I have his letter offering us a discount.

No Supremacy Ratings here from Porter Atherton this week, so I suppose he hasn't had time to organize them as yet. We will print them just as soon as we receive them. Remember to send your ratings now to C. Porter Atherton, East Slough Road, Harvard, Massachusetts.

Hal Schrock adds that on 1/25 he heard Spanish at 2210 on 585-605-625-655-685-695-735-845-855-935-963-965-995-1005-1075-1083. At 2130 heard on 1015-1125-1175-1185-1385-1435-935-958-965. Plenty of pickings there. Do you have them all verified?

John Tweedie writes that he has had some fair DX this season with HJKR, HJFX, HJKM, HJDZ, HJKL, HJED, HJAL, YNW, YNX, VOUS, XEHX, XEGM, XEBG, Clevedon, Vigra, Radio Africa, YVQO, 4VEC, XEOK, CMBK, PJA-10, HROW, and a raft of Canadians. John has a list of BCB stations of the USSR, and we would like to have that list, John, thank-you.

Pete Taylor notes that he will be going in the Coast Guard by the time you see this, so probably will not be sending in reports for a while. He was the only one who called me on my Spanish spelling of the word for beer. He reminds me that is is "cerveza", and he is correct, although I think my spelling would have been pronounced all right.

To Whitey Deibler of Wellsburg, New York, the only overseas clubs which cater to the BCB are the New Zealand Radio DX Association; The New Zealand DX Radio League; Radioklubben Universal (Sweden); and Medium Wave News (England). All are in English except ETTERSVEP of Radioklubben Universal which is published in Swedish. Addresses of these clubs are being sent you by mail. Also any information I have regarding their dues. If any of you knows of another club in the world which publishes BCB information, please let us know, as we would like to get on the mailing list of any such club in order to keep all the information constantly at your finger-tips.

And that concludes your DIGEST for this week. Good DXing to all. See you around 920 Kcs. next Monday morning. Good luck.

Send All Items To; C.M.Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada

All Times are EST

- 540 CMJJ Camegney, Cuba S/off at 0200 on 1/27 a Subday AM (PT)
- 550 WGR Buffalo, N.Y. now carries ABC programs but only a few (CMS)
- 600 This spot is clear Mon AM
- 610 WSGN Birmingham, Ala is AN (PT)
- 640 Radio Trinidad is operating a test XMTR on this fr-quency, S/on is 0500 (MF & CMS)
- 920 KQUE Albuquerque, N.M. has no silent period (PT) WJRD reports go to
- 940 WINZ Hollywood, Fla now has no silent period (PT) Mr. Roy B. McAllister
- 950 WSPA Spartansburg, S.C. S/on is 0500 (JWR) (LK says 0543) Ass't Manager
- 960 WFTC Kinston, N.C. was off 1/27, maybe silent Sun AM (PT)
- 970 KAKC Tulsa, Okla is AN (PT)
- 1150 WIOK Tampa, Fla S/on is 0500 (PT)
- 1230 KQIK Lakeview, Ore hrd on FC 0400-0415 1/28 (4th Mon) (RB)
- 1240 KIYI Shelby, Mont hrd on FC 0430-0500 1/28 (4th Mon), note that they are still on this frequency (RB)
- 1250 WPI-L Montrose, Pa Sun S/on is 0715 (JB) 1410 kc. WTOE (ex WFCB) opens 0615 on Feb 11, Richard Burt
- 1350 WNVA Norton, Va XSun S/on is 0645 (JB) new owner & manager
- 1390 WRIV Riverhead, N.Y. Sun S/on is 0600, good at Valier, Pa til 0655 (JB)
- 1400 WGIL Galesburg, Ill sked is 0700-0100, FC is 3rd Sat 0525-0540. They have put up a new tower and are anxious to check their coverage (LSN)
- KRPL Moscow, Ida hrd on FC 0400-0430 1/28 (4th Mon)
- KTUC Tucson, Ariz S/on (1/28) is 0500, very early for a MST station (RB)
- 1420 WAMM Flint, Micc S/on is 0500 (RJ)
- WALY Herkimer, N.Y. Feb & Mar wkday S/on is 0600, Sun 0700 (RH)
- 1450 WSKP Miami Beach, Fla was off 1/28, maybe silent Mon AM (PT)
- 1460 WPVL Painesville, Ohio is on RS wkdays by 0550 (RJ)
- WDMF Budford, Ga S/on is 0500 (JWR) 1570 KAGE 118 W 4th St. Winona
- WCMB Lemoyne, Pa S/off is 0100 (JWR) Minn. A. W. Dripps, CE. now running ET for about 10 days yet.
- 1540 ZNS Nassau, Bahamas S/on is 0630 (PT)
- 1570 WNCA Silver, City, N.C. wkday S/on is 0630 (RJ)

NEW STATIONS

- 1570 KAGE Winona, Minn ET/V on 2/5 (RJ) WJRD arranged by Maurice Nittler
- HEARD AS LISTED/JANUARY KAGE, WTOE phoned in by Johannis
- 3rd Mon KWYO WABA WOWL WBIR 4th Mon KFLD KSPA KPTL KWNA KTNM KBAR KONI KRIZ
- 2nd Tue WJNO 3rd Tue XEDF
- 3rd Wed WBLE 4th Thur WRWB WLOK

REPORTERS

RJ Ralph Johannis (Telephoned in), LSN Leon S. Neblock, PT Pete Taylor, JWR J. Warren Routzahn, JB Joe Brauner, RB Raleigh Biss, MF Mike Ferguson

THANKS to Porter Atherton who also sent in the information on WIL0.

HOW THEY WERE HEARD

- KPDQ Easy at Seattle and good last 20 minutes at Mendota, Ill. Weak at Crystal Beach and not hrd at Valier.
- KAAA Okay at Seattle thru KMUR & KELY. Not hrd in East or at Mendota.
- KLUV Probably not on.
- WHRT Not hrd at Seattle, strong in Illinois and Pa. Fair at Crystal Beach.
- WWXL XXX Fair at Seattle and Crystal Beach. Good in Illinois and Pa.
- KLEC Probably not on.

LATE ITEMS (ALL from LK)

- 570 WKYB Paducah, Ky Sun S/on is 0700
- 910 WRNL Richmond, Va wkday S/on is 0530
- 920 WGST Atlanta, Ga wkday S/on is 0530
- WLIV Livingston, Tenn wkday S/on is 0530 or shortly afterwards
- 930 WETO Gadsden, Ala wkday S/on is 0500
- 960 WBNC Birmingham, Ala wkday S/on is 0600
- 1380 WTOB Winston-Salem, N.C. wkday S/on is 0530 (That's 1380)



We learn that there is another National Radio Club, advertised over XEDM-1530. It is a "Lonely Hearts" club. A few of the below are brought to mind by this coincidence.

What would happen if a gal looking for a mate wrote to the wrong National Radio Club? Well, we do have a few eligible bachelors, but who would have them, after finding out they get up at 3 ayem to DX?

The National Radio (DX) Club could offer them some of our stations, like, WILL, WALT, WALY, KEEN, KENT, KOLE, KING, CHET!

And we could offer WSHE and WHER to the males.

"Hello - is this the National Radio Club?" "Well, can you get me a mate?" What - a pair of 802s in push-pull? What?

"I have been a bachelor for 55 years. Have you anything to offer me?" "Yes - we have a full calendar of lovely DX programs for you!"

Wouldn't they be confused if they saw the name "Carroll Seth" in the list of the National Radio Club?

Maybe we should schedule a DX on XEDM's frequency during the time of the lonely hearts commercial. We might then get a few pretty young girls in our DX club!

Of course, we'd have to warn them about such young romanticists as John Pohl and Ron Schiller. And then there's Ralph Johans! And Pete Bretz!

Maybe confirmed bachelors like Lefty Cooper and a confirmed DXer could make out in both National Radio Clubs!

Then the "other" National Radio Club could even run a DX program and dedicate blondes to the single boys in "the" National Radio Club. They could appear in person. Makes no difference what they look like - this isn't television!

A theme song for the lonely hearts N.R.C. instead of our National Emblem March? Of course - "I Want a Gal." Or - "Seven Years with the Wrong Woman."

Dear National Radio Club: You have an eligible young damsel who wants to marry a man like me. Please confirm this report."

Dear Sir: We confirm the above report, but we require return postage - 3¢ an ounce. She weighs 195 pounds! You figure it out!

Of course, XEDM is a border station. We wonder if some of the wenches might sort of "border" on the bizarre!

But how can they be offering girls from such a place - No Gal -eese (Nogales)?

A young husband joins the National Radio Club (us) and starts getting up at weird hours in the morning, and pretty soon he winds up without said wife. Young man now joins the National Radio Club (them) and gets another one. Then the cycle starts all over again.

Remember the song, "De-rest, I Love You?" Well, we could change the title to read, "DX, I Love You."

This Mexican National Radio Club must specialize in Latin American beauties. Well, our National Radio Club also features some Latin American beauties. If you don't believe it, there are some real "beauts" in the International DX Digest! In closing, what this world needs is more NATIONAL RADIO CLUBS!



## DX NEWS

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CONSTRUCTION PERMITS ISSUED BY FCC AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 1957

<u>Call</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Owner</u>	<u>Freq.</u>	<u>Power</u>
KPOO	San Francisco, Calif	Grant H. Wrathall	n 1010	10 KW-D
WDTV	Columbus Bay, Christiansted, St. Croix, VI	West Indies-Caribbean Radio	1190	500
KURA	Moab, Utah	Moab Bdcstg & TV Corp	1450	250
WPWR	Laurel, Miss	American Southern Bdcstrs	1430	1000 D
WCBQ	Sarasota, Fla	The Tradewinds Bdcstg Co	1220	250 D
WMYN	Mayodan, NC	Mayo Bdcstg Corp	1420	500 D
WDBM	Statesville, NC	Iradell Bdcstg Co	550	500 D
WCLE	Cleveland, Tenn	Southern Enterprises	1570	1000 D
KDLS	The Dalles, Oreg	The Dalles Bdcstg Co	930	1000
WELK	Charlottesville, Va	Lawrence Lee Kennedy	1010	1000 D
WARC	Milton, Pa	Williamsport Radio Bdcstg Inc	1380	1000 D
WCHK	Canton, Ga	Christian & McClure	1290	1000 D
KADM	Othello, Wash	Othello Radio	1450	100
WRMF	Titusville, Fla	Melbourne on the Air, Inc	1050	500 D
WWCC	Bremen, Ga	West Georgia Bdcstg Co	1440	500 D
WKTF	Warrenton, Va	WKTF, Inc	1420	5000 D
KRBI	St. Peter, Minn	Cateland Bdcstg Corp	1310	1000 D
KMOS	Tyler, Texas	Edward Lemore	690	250 D
KONK	Shelton, Wash	Mason County Bdcstg Co	920	500 D
WXLI	Hazelhurst, Ga	A. M. Thomas	1450	250
WMLF	Pineville, Ky	States Bdcstg System, Inc	1230	250
KBBC	Centerville, Utah	Bountiful Bdcstg Co	1600	1000 D
WGCS	Green Cove Springs, Fla	Rev. William F. Askew	1220	250 D
WKEN	Dover, Del	WKEN, Inc	1600	500 D
KLVI	Vivian, La	Joel Ellis Wharton	1600	500 D
WMPY	Salisbury, Md	Hoyt C. Murphy	1470	5000 D
WONY	Owego, NY	Erdman Bdcstg Co	1330	1000 D
WRAM	Monmouth, Ill	Prairieland Bdcstrs	1330	1000 D
WPCC	Clinton, SC	Clinton Bdcstg Co	1410	500 D
KOZI	Chelan, Wash	Lake Chelan Bdcstg Corp	1220	1000 D
KDOO	Ridgecrest, Calif	Ridgecrest-China Lake Bdcstrs	990	1000 D
WMPT	So. Williamsport, Pa	Jefferson Bdcstg Co	1450	250
WSUZ	Palatka, Fla	Raymac, Inc	800	1000 D
WAMD	Aberdeen, Md	Harford County Bdcstg Co	970	500 D
WMSR	Manchester, Tenn	Manchester Bdcstg Co	1580	1000 D
KHFH	Fry, Ariz	Carleton W. Morris	1420	1000 D
KBEV	Portland, Oreg	James R. Roberts	1010	1000 D
WSBR	Warwick, RI	West Shore Bdcstg Co	1590	1000 D
KPEG	Spokane, Wash	Robert D. & Martha M. Rapp	1380	5000 D
KAMP	El Centro, Calif	Ray Lapica	1430	1000 D
WTVT	Titusville, Fla	Titusville Bdcstg Co	1300	1000 D
WHLT	Huntington, Ind	Huntington Valley Bdcstrs	1300	500 D
WWOW	Hazard, Ky	Perry County Bdcstg Co	1390	5000 D
WRVK	Mt. Vernon, Ky	Renfro Valley Bdcstrs, Inc	1460	500 D
KVLV	Fallon, Nevada	Lahontan Valley Bdcstg Co	1250	1000 D
WMIA	Arecibo, PR	Abacoa Radio Corp	1070	500
KVGN	Fairbanks, Alaska	Radio Anchorage, Inc	1240	250
KGOL	Golden, Colo	Golden Radio, Inc	1250	1000 D
WLOB	Portland, Maine	Casco Bdcstrs Corp	1310	1000 D
WIOD	Sanford, Fla	Sanford Bdcstg Co	1360	500 D
KPBX	Odessa, Texas	Mid-Cities Bdcstg Co	1310	500 D
WNYS	Salamanca, NY	Cattaraugus Bdcstg Service	1590	1000 D
WLWL	Mansfield, Ohio	Mansfield Bdcstg Corp	1570	250 D
WVVR	Terre Haute, Ind	Citizens Bdcstg Co	1300	500 D
KRSI	Hopkins-Edina-St. Louis Park, Minn--Radio Suburbia		950	1000 D

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KLYR	Clarksville, Ark	Peach County Radio	1360	500 D
KACE	Riverside, Calif	Ray Lapica	1570	1000 D
KOOO	Omaha, Nebr	Central Plains Bdcstg Co	1420	500 D
WARF	Jasper, Ala	Walker County Bdcstg Co	1240	250
WKTS	Brooksville, Fla	Hernando Bdcstg Co	1450	250
WTRO	Dyersburg, Tenn	Southern General Bdcstg Co	1330	500 D
WRKE	Roanoke, Va	Elmore D. & Reba F. Heins	910	1000 D
WHTG	Eatontown, NJ	Harold M. Gade	1410	500 D
WJJC	Commerce, Ga	Albert S. Hardy	1270	1000 D
WOIA	Saline, Mich	The Saline Bdcstg Co	1290	500 D
KAGE	Winona, Minn	Winona Bdcstg Co	1570	1000 D
WCMT	Martin, Tenn	Jones T. Sudbury	1410	1000 D
WAJN	Atlantic Beach, Fla	Voice of the Sea	1600	1000 D
WMMA	Miami, Fla	Frieda Bdcstg Corp	1260	5000 D
WCMP	Pine City, Minn	Pine County Bdcstg Co	1350	1000 D
WNSL	Laurel, Miss	Voice of the New South	1260	1000 D
WNBP	Newburyport, Mass	Theodore Feinstein	1470	500 D
KZOL	Muleshoe, Texas	Blackwater Valley Bdcstrs	1570	250 D
WTIF	Tifton, Ga	C. N. Todd	1340	250
WHMI	Howell, Mich	Livingston Bdcstg Co	1350	500 D
KIRT	Mission, Texas	Pool Bdcstg Co	1580	1000 D
WBLO	Evergreen, Ala	Evergreen Bdcstg Co	1470	1000 D
KVWM	Show Low, Ariz	Peak Bdcstg Co	1050	250 D
WDAT	South Daytona, Fla	Thomas Carr	1590	1000 D
WMPL	Hancock, Mich	Copper Country Bdcstg Co	920	1000 D
WSRA	Saratoga Springs, NY	Radio Saratoga	1280	1000 D
WFSC	Franklin, NC	Macon County Bdcstg Co	1050	500 D
WOUB	Athens, Ohio	Ohio University	1340	100
KWEL	Midland, Texas	Great Western Radio Co	1580	1000 D
KEUQ	Phoenix, Ariz	Q Bdcstg Co	740	1000 D
WZYX	Cowan, Tenn	Cumberland Bdcstg Co	1440	1000 D
KDXU	St. George, Utah	St. George Bdcstg Co	1450	250
WCWC	Ripon, Wisc	Central Wisc. Company	1600	5000 D
KRAC	Alamogordo, NM	Lyman Brown Enterprises	1270	1000 D
KMOP	Tucson, Ariz	Bemroy Bdcstg Co	1330	500 D
WBCA	Bay Minette, Ala	Southwest Ala. Bdcstg Co	1150	1000 D
WBRD	Bradenton, Fla	Sunshine State Bdcstg Co	1420	1000 D
WRGR	Starke, Fla	Tidewater Bdcstrs	1490	250 SH
KMAR	Winnsboro, La	Franklin Bdcstg Co	1570	500 D
WMAD	Oneida, NY	Radio Oneida, Inc	1350	500 D
WYTI	Rocky Mount, Va	S. L. Goodman	1570	500 D
WVWV	Grafton, W. Va.	WVWV, Inc	1260	500 D
WAGE	Leesburg, Va	Richard F. Lewis, Jr.	1290	1000 D
.....	Starke, Fla	Ben Akerman	1580	1000 D
.....	Raymondville, Texas	Hale Schaleben & Van Culpepper-1240		250
.....	Palmdale, Calif	Palmdale Bdcstrs	1470	1000 D
.....	Redding, Calif	Shasta Bdcstg Corp	540	1000 D
.....	Sylva, NC	Harold M. Thoms	1480	5000 D
.....	Ocala, Fla	Marion County Bdcstg, Inc	1370	1000 D
.....	Berwick, Pa	Columbia County Bdcstrs, Inc	1280	500 D
.....	Gilroy, Calif	Bernard & Jobbins Bdcstg Co	1290	500 D
.....	Mt. Kisco, NY	Radio Mt. Kisco, Inc	1310	1000 D
.....	Willow Springs, Mo	Robert F. Neathery	1330	500 D
.....	N. Little Rock, Ark	Arkansas Valley Bdcstg Co	1380	1000 D
.....	Payette Idaho	Payette Bdcstrs	1450	250
.....	Massillon, Ohio	Massillon Bdcstg Co	990	250 D
.....	Canonsburg, Pa	Douglas & Associates, Inc	540	250 D
.....	Tucson, Ariz	Associated Bdcstrs of Tucson	790	1000 D
.....	Everett, Wash	Snohomish County Bdcstg Co	1230	250
.....	Ponce, PR	Catholic U. of Puerto Rico	1420	1000